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For: ANONYMOUS ELECTRONIC VOTING
SYSTEM AND ANONYMOUS
ELECTRONIC VOTING METHOD

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FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S.
patent application as follows:

Amendment to the Specification. Please see attached substitute
specification and redlined version.

Amendments to the Claims and Abstract are reflected in the listing which
begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.